

Northampton Youth Commission

Housing Working Group

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Working Group Leader: Lucas Laing

Meeting Notice

Online Video Conference (Zoom)

Meeting Date: October 5, 2021

Meeting Time: 7 PM

The Northampton Youth Commission Housing Working Group leads the Commission's advocacy efforts to pass housing policy in the City of Northampton.

Instructions for joining the virtual meeting:

Topic: Northampton Youth Commission

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://bit.ly/noho-youth-commission>

Procedural note: Due to time constraints, discussion items may be postponed to future meetings.

Items for discussion:

1. Say hello, welcome everyone to the first housing working group meeting of the 2021-22 school year
2. Everyone introduce themselves (name, pronouns, school, grade, and possibly another "icebreaker" question)
3. VOTE to officially elect working group leader
4. Briefly explanation of what the housing working group has done last year, over the summer, what it is doing now, and what YC members can expect out of the group
5. Explanation of what zoning is, what zoning policy we have in Northampton, and how we are trying to improve it
6. Members will express any questions/concerns/other reactions they have to this information
7. Discussion of the city officials we have been working with throughout this process and upcoming meetings that are scheduled with them
8. Open discussion of other ways we could work to improve housing affordability in Northampton as a group